



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENTS AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant : Yasushi Ueki
Title : LATCH DEVICE
Serial No. : 10/601,891
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Examiner : Gary W. Estremsky

Hon. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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REQUEST FOR REVIEWING ACTION

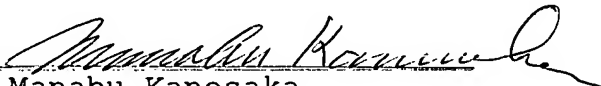
Sir:

The Office Action was mailed on January 26, 2004, wherein in paragraph 6, it was held that claims 1-4 and 6 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by U.S. Pat. No. 5,401,067 to Kurosaki. However, in the third line of paragraph 6 of the Action, Kurosaki '158, different from U.S. Pat. No. 5,401,067 to Kurosaki, is referred to, and this Kurosaki '158 is not shown in the Notice of Reference Cited.

Therefore, please review the Action, and issue a correct Action with a correct reference. Also, please reset the date.

Respectfully Submitted,

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